THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

Office of the Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT: Key Intelligence Question Strategy Reports

- At the USIB meeting on 19 December, the DCI led a general discussion of the Strategy Reports on the FY 1975 Key Intelligence Questions prepared by the National Intelligence Officers in consultation with their appropriate colleagues throughout the Community. the course of that discussion, it was agreed that specific groups of these Strategy Reports would be taken up at successive USIB meetings and addressed in more detail. In this endeavor, a balance clearly has to be struck between overloading any single USIB meeting with more Strategy Reports that can be meaningfully considered within a reasonable period of time and prolonging the consideration of these reports to such an extent that an inordinate period of time becomes required before the USIB completes its consideration of them all. We will therefore try to strike this balance by taking up individual sets which are grouped around a common theme, which will normally be defined by the geographic or functional responsibilities of a given National Intelligence Officer.
- 2. At the USIB meeting now scheduled for 16 January, we propose to take up the eight Strategy Reports for which the NIO for Conventional Forces bears primary responsibility. These are the Strategy Reports for KIQs 16, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 65.
- 3. At the USIB meeting now scheduled for 23 January, we propose to take up the nineteen Strategy Reports for

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which the NIO for Strategic Programs bears primary responsibility. These are the Strategy Reports for KIQs 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 34, 35 and 64. This will be a fairly large of interrelationship between these KIQs, the Strategy Reports for all of them ought to be considered at a single session.

4. Barring unforeseen circumstances, we plan to schedule one set of Strategy Reports for consideration at each USIB meeting until the entire package is completed. We will endeavor to give all USIB agencies ample advance notice of the sets proposed for consideration and, at a minimum, will provide notification at least one full week before any given set is scheduled to be addressed.

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